## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA ALEXANDRIA DIVISION

GILDA HAGAN-BROWN,

Case No. 1:14-cv-01614-AJT-JFA

Plaintiff,

Hon. Anthony J. Trenga Hon. John F. Anderson

v.

ELI LILLY AND COMPANY, an Indiana corporation,

Defendant.

Case No. 1:14-cv-01615-AJT-JFA

Plaintiff,

Hon. Anthony J. Trenga Hon. John F. Anderson

v.

JANINE ALI,

ELI LILLY AND COMPANY, an Indiana corporation,

Defendant.

# PLAINTIFFS' OPPOSITION TO DEFENDANT'S MOTION FOR BRIEF CONTINUANCE OF TRIAL

Plaintiffs oppose Lilly's request for a continuance. Plaintiffs have already arranged for the appearance of witnesses and travel and hotels for attorneys and expert witnesses. In addition, vacations have been changed to accommodate the upcoming trial schedules. The parties have been working diligently to resolve trial-related issues with the expectation the cases would proceed to trial on August 24, 2015. Lilly should not be allowed to delay trial in this case because of trials ongoing in other courts in light of the fact that Lilly has systematically opposed any efforts to centralize, including opposing creation of a Multi District Litigation. Plaintiffs are

ready for trial and would like it to proceed on August 24, 2015.

Dated: July 29, 2015 Respectfully submitted,

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Peter A. Miller, hereby certify that on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2015, a true copy of the foregoing PLAINTIFFS' OPPOSITION TO DEFENDANT'S MOTION FOR BRIEF CONTINUANCE OF TRIAL was filed electronically with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send a notification of such filing to the following:

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